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Two Levittowners Named To Twp. School Board

3 Accidents On Icy Hill Early Today

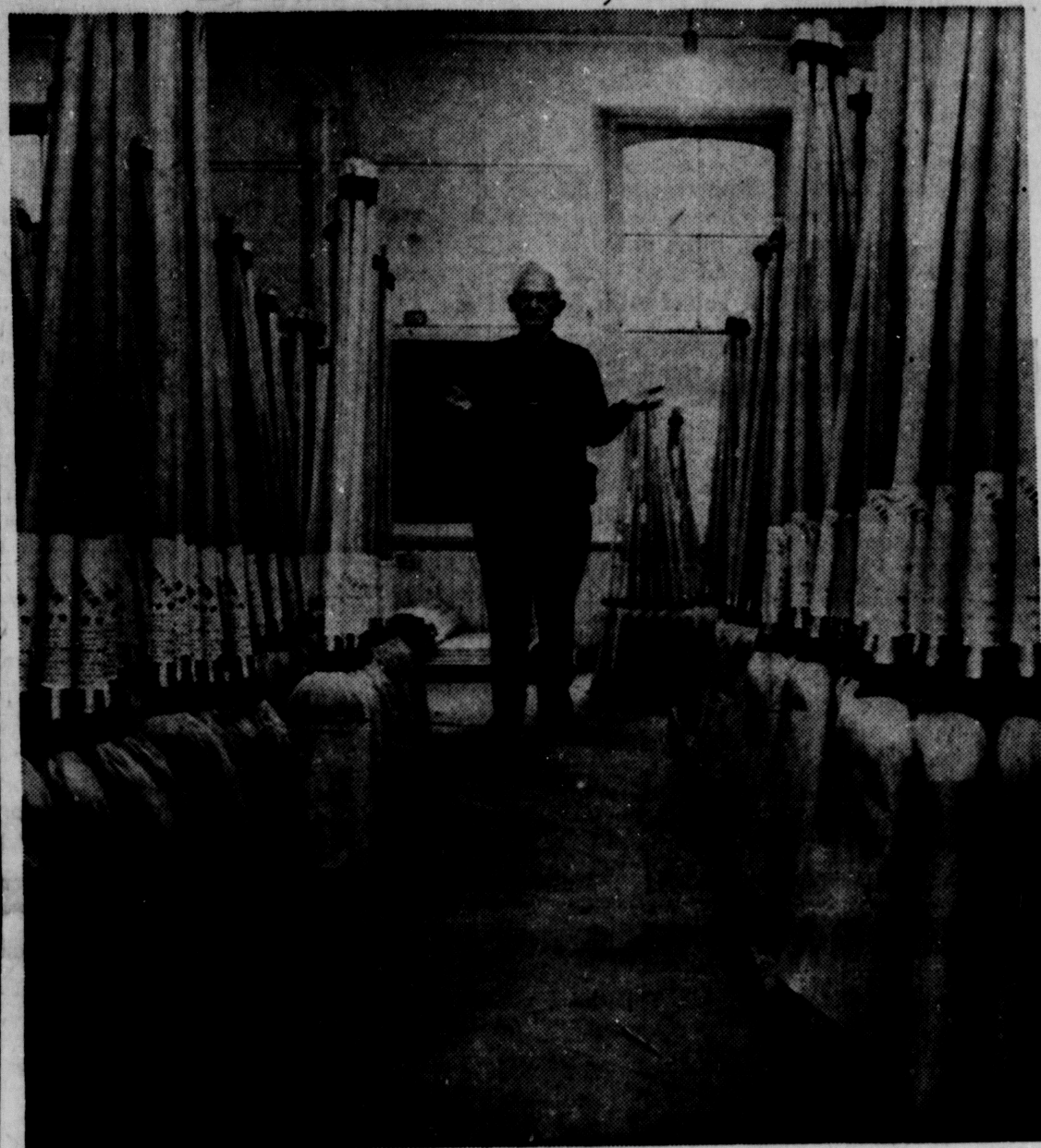
School Board Tables Back Taxes Action

By SCOOP LEWIS
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Bristol Township school directors are apparently continuing their inconsistent actions regarding the finances of the county's largest school district.

The six members present at last night's meeting wasted little time in unanimously authorizing the Temple University Service Bureau to conduct a survey of administrative and business operational procedures of the Bristol (Continued on Page 3, Col. 2)

Brooms For Sale - 2,250 Of Them



Norman Ryan, director of the Bucks County Association for the Blind workshop on Bath St., Bristol, wonders what to do with the 2,250 unsold brooms made by blind employees at the workshop. Lack of customers for the association's chief product has caused a financial crisis for the association. (Courier-Times Photo)

Blind Assn. Loses \$15,000, Forced To Lay Off Workers

By ROGER KOHN
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For the first time in over 11 years, the Bucks County Association for the Blind has been forced to lay off blind workers employed at its Bristol workshop.

Twelve of the total staff of 30 have had to be laid off, due to what association president W. Bruce Fye described as "a financial crisis."

2,250 Unsold Brooms

The problem is lack of funds. For some months past, the association has found difficulty in disposing of the brooms, rugs and other goods made at the workshop on Bath St.

Some of its major customers have had to cancel their orders,

said Norman Ryan, director of the workshop, and so far the association has not been able to find others. There are 2,250 unsold brooms, and the pile is growing.

As a result, the association has lost \$15,000 in the last six months, and is continuing to run into the red at a rate of \$2,500 a month, Ryan said.

It is not just the 30 people at the Bristol workshop who are involved. The serious financial position the association finds itself in might ultimately affect other blind people in Bucks County.

325 Aided

"The association helps 325 blind and partially sighted people in the area," said Mrs. Ruth A. Stymiest, secretary to the

board and manager of the association's Doylestown workshop.

"We supply them with glasses, have a circulating Braille library, distribute white canes, and provide instruction in Braille, typing, knitting and other activities. Our job is to help those who are blind, and to prevent blindness in others by arranging eye care for those in need."

Supported By Workshops

This program is supported to a large degree by the workshops in Bristol and Doylestown, which in the fiscal year ending May 31, 1962, made well over \$200,000 for the association from the sale of brooms and other products.

"Part of the trouble," Ryan (Continued on Page 3, Col. 8)

Court Picks John Pann, Faith Murray

By SCOOP LEWIS
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Two Levittown residents — Mrs. Faith H. Murray, mother of three children and John J. Pann, father of five — were appointed to the Bristol Township School Board today.

The appointments were made by Judge Edwin H. Satterthwaite in Common Pleas Court in Doylestown to fill the vacancies created when Louis A. Alimenti and Nicholas DeMara, ex-president and vice president, respectively, pleaded guilty last Nov. 26 to bribery and extortion in a plot to sell school principalships.

Mrs. Murray, 40, who lives at 1 Marigold Circle, Magnolia Hill, was appointed to replace Alimenti, whose term would have run to the first Monday in December, 1967. She is a buyer's agent for a Philadelphia firm.

Pann, who resides at 15 Overbrook Lane, Oaktree Hollow, will fill DeMara's position, the term running until the first Monday next December. He is quality control manager for a Philadelphia manufacturing firm.



JOHN J. PANN

Their appointments take effect immediately and they are expected to be sworn in next Thursday night at a special meeting prior to a special meeting of the Delhaas Joint School Board. The Delhaas board comprises the nine township school directors and five from Tullytown Borough.

School board terms are for six years with the township board comprising nine members. Three other board members, Mrs. Angela Blatt, John F. Hess and John R. Stieber, were indicted yesterday by the grand jury on charges of bribery, conspiracy and violation of the state school code.

They were implicated in the plot to sell promotions to teachers by Alimenti and DeMara, who were paroled Dec. 28 after serving minimum terms of their sentences of 30 days to one year in the county prison.

Both Mrs. Murray and Pann were among nine persons whose names had been filed with the court in petitions from township taxpayers. Both are Democrats, as are Alimenti and DeMara.

R. Philemon Stout, president of the board, said he had been one of the signers of Mrs. Murray's petition and "naturally I approve of the appointment." He said he did not know Pann and could offer no comment.

Stout said he felt the court's appointment of two Levittowners "will bring disappointment" to the people in the "lower end such as Croydon, Bath Addition, Belardley and the other non-Levittown areas."

Mrs. Murray, when contacted at the American Viscose Co. in Philadelphia, where she's been a (Continued on Page 3, Col. 3)

Bucks Foggy, Worse Tonight

Most of Lower Bucks County was shrouded in fog today as changing temperatures created condensed moisture in the air.

Motorists were cautioned about hazardous driving conditions as the weatherman said "the fog will get worse tonight." Skies, however, are expected to clear by morning.

Accompanying the fog was occasional periods of rain and chilly temperatures. The mercury stood at 40 degrees at 2 p.m. and was expected to reach a high in the mid 40s.

Three Missing In Explosion

JOHNSTOWN, Pa. (UPI) — Three construction workers were missing and feared trapped in rubble today when an explosion rocked a coal storage silo at the Bird Coal Cleaning Co. plant in suburban Riverside.

Initial reports said the men were part of a construction gang working on a \$5 million expansion project at the coal cleaning facility.

The missing workmen were listed as Joseph Skura of Windber, Pa., and Ralph Taylor and Philip Beamer, both of Richmond, W.Va.

A fellow worker, Colbert Backus of Summerville, W. Va., said the missing men were using cutting torches atop an 80-foot-high coal silo. He said the explosion ripped out a large hole in the steel and concrete silo and the men toppled inside along with debris.

Bourbon Goes On The Rocks

PLYMOUTH, Ind. (UPI) — Nearly half the residents of Bourbon think bourbon shouldn't be sold in Bourbon.

The American Legion Post at Bourbon, Ind., sought a hard liquor permit, but the county alcoholic beverage board deadlocked on the issue.

A Trenton - man was killed at 1:30 o'clock this morning in the first of three accidents which occurred within minutes on West Maple Ave., Feasterville.

Because of the accidents, two of which were minor, a suspected car thief was apprehended by police, with the help of a police dog, on the way to the scene.

The accidents followed the sudden freezing of rain on the West Maple Ave. hill where it leads to the Playwicki Park Bridge.

Police said it was one of the few spots in the area where ice formed on roadways.

Hits Pole, Tree

Killed was John J. Duncan, 43, a Trenton father of three when his car struck a pole and then a tree after going out of control on the ice. He was returning from a party for an officer at the Frankford Arsenal where he is employed.

Police had to extricate his body from the wreckage. He was alone.

Duncan was one of the pioneers of Levittown. He and his family were among the first residents moving into a home on Swan Lane in Stonybrook. He moved to New Jersey so he could be near his family.

Apprehended was Gary Snyder, 24, of 15 Hay Road, Levittown, wanted by Middletown police for questioning about a car theft. Snyder was watched over for more than an hour by the Lower Southampton police dog "Gretchen."

First Duty

She was on her first night on duty as a police dog, and guarded Snyder while the arresting officer assisted at the accident.

Duncan, of Mountain View Road, Trenton, was the first to have trouble with the icy pavement. Coming down the hill he evidently lost control of the car which hit a pole and then a tree. The car was demolished. Duncan was pronounced dead on arrival at the Lower Bucks County Hospital by Dr. Howard Leister and Deputy Coroner John Black.

Survivors

The former Levittowner is survived by his wife, Evelyn; two daughters, Jacqueline, 18, and Debra, 10; and a son John, 11.

Police said that Duncan probably did not know what happened. Death was due to multiple internal injuries and a fractured skull, and was probably instantaneous, the coroner said.

Officers from Lower Southampton — Sergeant Joseph Kershaw, Carl Dowdell, Raymond Livezey and Edward Malone, were assisted by Middletown Sergeant William Dietrich and Patrolman Stephen Ambrose in investigating the three accidents.

Ambulance Spins Around

The first ambulance on the scene, the Pennell - Middletown Emergency Squad unit, spun several times on its way down the hill to the accident. The second ambulance, from Treves Heights (Continued on Page 3, Col. 2)

Contains Escalator

A union official said the proposal includes an escalator clause by which the company could reduce personnel if the number of riders went down. If the number of riders increased, they could be rehired.

Talks so far have snagged on a "no-layoff" clause of the old contract which barred dismissal of any employee for reasons other than incompetence. The company wants to eliminate it in any new contract and the union insists on its retention.

Police Chief Shot To Death

BLOWING ROCK, N.C. (UPI) — The police chief of this resort town high in the Blue Ridge Mountains was shot to death today when he apparently halted a suspicious car along a lonely mountain road.

The officer, William D. Greene, 28, called for help over his police car radio. He managed to whisper the identity of his assailants shortly before he died in a hospital three hours later.

A search was launched in four counties for two men believed responsible for the crime.

COINWORD Prize Money Now \$400

Tension is mounting again.

COINWORD No. 99 appears today for the second time and the prize money has soared to a lofty \$400.

The answer to COINWORD No. 98 appears today.

Turn to Page 26, join in the fun and become eligible for the \$400 prize which can be taken away with a correct answer to COINWORD No. 99.

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Good Evening!

Khrushchev visits the Berlin Wall.

He makes like a happy tourist while inspecting one of history's greatest shames but we have an idea that even this warped and perverted chief of the Commies wasn't nearly so proud of his handiwork as he appeared.

Stand in drab, dirty and lifeless East Berlin and look over the wall to one of the most beautiful and vibrant cities in the world and you get the idea. You look from the depths of human bondage straight into the dazzling light of freedom.

President Kennedy asks Congress for the biggest budget in U.S. history—a fantastic \$98,992,000,000 (billions, that is) which would push the nation \$11.9 billion further into the red.

You have to wonder about the President's gamble with America's economy, with her very future, with the Administration's continued reckless spirit of extravagant spending.

Precious little applause anywhere for his latest recommendations. We guess the country's going to have to insist that Congress exercise the very wisest of judgment and restraint.

PTC and the union still studying plans to bring the transit strike to an end.

They may be inconvenienced a bit, but they've certainly been taking the strike in stride, the folks of the greater Philadelphia area. Rather an irony, it would be, if they discovered they could get along without both the PTC and Quill's transport workers.

You can say it again — Jim Flannery's new dining room with splendid service and unusual decor something of which all Bucks County can be proud. Difficult to get ahead of the old pros.

You can also say it again — Palmer, Nicklaus and Player the fellows to watch in the \$50,000 Bing Crosby National in its second round today at Pebble Beach with Julius Boros presently leading the pack.

Weather back to normal. Low-slung clouds, fog, drizzle. And maybe much colder.

Dern it. We were beginning to hope winter was done.

Caution is what you exercise when you're afraid. Cowardice is what shows when somebody else is afraid.

The psychiatrist who tells parents to spend more time with their children is probably trying to drum up business.

Watch your driving.

Red Chinese Envoy Boosed

BERLIN (UPI) — Communist Chinese delegate Wu Hsiuchuan—his voice drowned out by a riotous chorus of boos and catcalls—said today that Peking will continue its fight against Moscow's policy of coexistence with the West.

In a speech to the sixth East German Communist party congress, he said Red China's battle will continue against "modern revisionists," a move that rejected Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev's appeal for a truce in the Moscow-Peking ideological war.

He launched into such a violent attack against the Soviet Union and Yugoslavia that the East German chairman, Paul Verner, ordered him to stop.

Angrily ringing his bell, Verner warned he would not tolerate insults to invited guests.

\$32 Million Deficit Noted Rigid Economy Plan Ordered By Gov.

HARRISBURG (UPI) — Gov. William W. Scranton today estimated a \$32 million General Fund deficit for the 1962-63 fiscal year and ordered a "stringent economy program" to wipe it out by the end of the next fiscal year.

Scranton jolted his first news conference since becoming governor Jan. 15 by disclosing he has ordered cutbacks in every agency of state government. Directives issued to every department head include a lid on virtually all new hiring for this fiscal year which ends June 30, and a review of budget requests for the 1963-64 fiscal year aimed at slashing operating costs by 20 per cent.

However, Scranton ruled out a tax boost "for the immediate fu-

ture" but said at the same time there could be no tax cut at the state level.

Had Predicted Balance

Former Democratic Gov. David L. Lawrence had predicted before leaving office the current \$1 billion plus budget would be balanced and noted that he finished the 1961-62 fiscal year with a \$16.5 million surplus, which was incorporated in the present fiscal blueprint.

Scranton, the first Republican governor in eight years, said his forecast is based on figures supplied by the Lawrence administration. A final report showed that for the first six months of the current fiscal year revenue esti-

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Resolutions OK'd To Fix Voting Areas

Resolutions to combine certain election districts in Falls and divide certain districts in Warminster Townships were approved this morning at a meeting of the Bucks County Commissioners.

The resolutions, submitted by Harold Hellyer, clerk of the Bucks County Elections Board, are designed to facilitate voting in the respective districts.

Hellyer pointed out that the second step will be to file a petition with the Bucks County Court of Quarter Sessions for a hearing. He added that when the hearing date is set, maps outlining the proposed district changes would be posted.

To Combine Areas
The election clerk said the vast area in the lower first district of Falls Township will be combined with the upper first district and would henceforth be designated as the upper first district.

The upper district would then be divided into two precincts. At present there are three precincts in that district.

Hellyer explained that the reason for the merger was because the lower election district of Falls Township has been impractical. He said there are 174 voters in the lower district but only about 60 voters have been turning up at the polls.

The area is a land of sand pits, islands and ponds and that there is not much of a population boom in the wind there, Hellyer said. The Falls Township district merger would encompass about 1,700 voters, he added.

Voting Location
Voters would cast their ballots at the Fallowing polls.

The first district, first precinct boundary line runs along Lower Makefield Road, Lincoln Highway and Morrisville Borough.

The first district, third precinct boundary runs along Lincoln Highway Fallowing-Tullytown Road, Tullytown Borough, Delaware River and Morrisville.

The purpose of the Warminster election district split, Hellyer explained, is to make it easier for committee people to work and to reduce the voting population by one half.

Split Proposed
Old Warminster's first district is being split to create a sixth district bounded by Bristol, Valley and Street Roads and the Upper Southampton Township line. The line of demarcation would run up York Road near the west border. The first district has almost 1,600 voters. The split would leave 833 voters in the new district and 714 in the first district.

There are too many voters there and it is too big an area in which to work, Hellyer said in reference to the Warminster resolution.

He said the plan has been sanctioned by all four committee people working in that area.

Trucker Faces Drunk Charge

A trailer-truck driver was arrested early this morning on drunk driving charges by Middletown Township police.

David Kauffman, 33, of Lewisburg, Pa. was taken before Justice of the Peace William Oettinger. He was released under \$500 bail for a further hearing.

Township Patrolman Stephen Ambrose, who made the arrest, said Kauffman's truck was swaying side to side on Route 1 as it travelled east. The arrest was made at 12:45 a.m.

Truman Rests After Surgery

KANSAS CITY, Mo. (UPI)—Former President Harry S. Truman today underwent "routine surgery" for a hernia in a two-hour operation.

The 78-year-old former president, who received a general anesthetic, was wheeled from the research hospital operating room to the recovery room after the surgery. A hospital spokesman said he was "resting comfortably."

Births

Lower Bucks County Hospital

Jan. 16
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dominik, 3901 Newportville Road, Cornwells Heights, boy

Jan. 17
Mr. and Mrs. H. Newton Garber, 28 Red Berry Road, Levittown, girl

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leonard, 35 Morning Glory Lane, Levittown, boy

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Gillespie, 97 Cobalt Cross Road, Levittown, girl

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bonk, 301 Lafayette St., Bristol, boy
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer George, 31 Cactus Road, Levittown, girl

Twp. School Board Tables Tax Action

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Township and Delhaas Joint Schools. Bristol Township's cost of the survey will be approximately \$7,076, based on 58 per cent as its proportionate share under the Delhaas Jointure.

Back Taxes

In direct opposite, the board spent much time and wasted many words in "kicking around" the collection of taxes owed the school district, particularly the often-discussed mercantile tax. The board tabled action on naming a tax coordinator.

The board, for the past several months, has been bickering over appointing a person or persons to collect interim, mercantile and trailer taxes. It has been pointed out on many occasions that the school district is lacking "thousands of dollars" in uncollected delinquent taxes.

School Director Charles J. McGrath, who has been the strongest proponent in seeking to collect the money owed the township, last night told the board "there's at least \$16,000 and possibly much more" delinquent tax money owed the school district.

\$44,000 Collected

He noted that the 1962 school budget reflected \$60,000 in anticipated revenue from the mercantile tax (levied on wholesale and retail business establishments). To date, he said \$44,000 has been collected.

"This leaves \$16,000 uncollected to date in 1961 mercantile taxes," McGrath pointed out. However, he said the school district still hasn't collected delinquent taxes from previous years.

One taxpayer, Joseph Segal of length on its etainshrdulwy Levittown, questioned the board at length on its procedures in collecting the taxes.

Thomas Derbyshire of Croydon, president of the associate school board, formerly had the job of collecting the mercantile tax in the school district. However, the board relieved him of his duties more than a year ago.

Criticizes Board

Derbyshire last night criticized the board for putting bridge classes in the Delhaas Adult School program. He protested because the board recently turned down his proposal to hold summer school classes for fifth and sixth grade students.

Derbyshire also assailed the board for "spending \$28,000 on summer recreation." McGrath also criticized this action of spending the money "so kids can play in the sand."

Mrs. Angela Blatt, one of three school directors indicted yesterday by the county grand jury, asked that the board reconsider the summer school program as recommended by Superintendent Robert P. Martin. But the action was tabled by a 4-2 vote.

3-3 Stalemate

Mrs. Blatt then requested that a summer program be held for sixth graders. The board, in a 3-3 stalemate, defeated the motion and then immediately adjourned at 11:45 p.m.

McGrath, earlier in the meeting, had questioned Martin on the increase in money being spent for paper in the school district. Martin said it was caused by the increase in the number of publications being printed throughout the schools.

Asks About Butter

Derbyshire also questioned the board on the reported use of moldy butter in the cooking of vegetables at the Maple Shade, Mary W. Devine, George Clymer and Lafayette Schools in the "lower end" of the school district.

Board President R. Philemon Stout said that a special public meeting will be held next Thursday night to discuss cafeteria procedures in the school district. The

Man Killed

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Rescue Squad, halted at the top of the hill.

Police had asked both ambulances to stop because of the ice, and halted all traffic until the Lower Southampton Township cinder truck had made the hill safe for traffic.

Becomes Suspicious

Snyder did not know of the accidents and Kershaw became suspicious, radioing the Middletown dispatcher for information. Hearing Kershaw use the radio Snyder ran, and Gretchen, the German Shepherd was sent after him and brought him back to Kershaw.

Kershaw handcuffed the suspect, and took him to the accident scene where the dog guarded the prisoner while the police worked to extricate Duncan's body and assist the first aid workers of the two rescue squads.

No major damage was reported to either of the other two cars involved in accidents.

meeting will be at 8 p.m. in the cafeteria of Benjamin Franklin Junior High School, Mill Creek Road, Levittown.

Mrs. R. Louise Burr, school dietitian, is expected to submit a full report on cafeteria operations, including results of the investigation into reports that soap was mixed in with sugar at the Abraham Lincoln School cafeteria.

Study Of Spelling

The board last night approved the hiring of three teachers, Mrs. Ellen Faller, Miss Bernice Marks and Miss Sandra Super, and a music consultant, Seymour Baderek.

Two principals, Donald McDade of Ralph Waldo Emerson School and Paul McCool, John Fitch School, presented the board with a report on their study of spelling teaching methods used in elementary schools. They discussed the Botel and the Lyons - Carnahan systems.

The Joint Council of PTA's, in a letter to the board, supported Superintendent Martin "in his efforts to secure a superior educational program." The council said it feels "the program presented to them by Mr. Martin as the Oct. 29 meeting is an excellent one worthy of the support of the council and of the Bristol Township School Board."

2 Named

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buyer's agent for three years, was overwhelmed by the news.

"I'm very pleased to hear about it," she said. "I'm extremely surprised at receiving the five-year term." She said she had been confident she might be named to the one-year term of DeMara's, but "never counted on the five-year term."

The new appointee expressed her desire "to do my best on the school board." She acknowledged "I have a great deal to learn." But she said she wasn't making any "brash remarks about my stand or policies" at this time.

"Cooperation among the board in the future" is what Mrs. Murray feels to be the most important objective today.

Divorced twice, Mrs. Murray has lived the past 10 years at the Marigold Circle residence with her two sons, John, 19, a senior at Woodrow Wilson High School, and Michael, 17, serving in the Navy at San Diego, Calif., and her daughter, Margaret, 16, a junior at Woodrow Wilson.

Active in Democratic political circles, Mrs. Murray had been judge of elections in the township's ninth ward, third precinct for several years before resigning prior to the 1962 election.

Mrs. Murray, actively engaged in musical and dramatical group in Lower Bucks, is director of the junior choir at Temple Shalom, Levittown. She is also a member of Civil Air Patrol Unit Squadron 101.

Scranton Graduate

Pann, a graduate of Scranton University where he got his B.S. degree, based his school board qualifications on the fact that he has a state teaching certificate and possesses administrative ability, being quality controls manager at the Crown Cork and Seal Co., Philadelphia, where he has worked the past seven years.

Pann, his wife, DeLourdes, and their children have lived on Overbrook Lane for the past nine years. The children are John Jr., 13, and Denise, 12, both seventh grade students at Benjamin Franklin Junior High School; Tony, 10, in the fourth grade at George Washington School; and Tina, 5, who as yet hasn't started her educational career.

Pann was unavailable for comment at press time. However, his wife was overjoyed by the news. "I haven't really had the time to think about it though," she remarked. "I don't know how John feels because I don't think he knows it yet."

Weather



FORECAST: Cloudy with occasional rain today and tonight; high today in mid 40s, low tonight in mid 30s. Tomorrow, mostly cloudy and becoming colder; high in upper 30s, Sunday, cold with some snow likely.

High today: 47.
Low tonight: 36.

High yesterday: 50.
Low yesterday: 27.

Low this morning: 35.

Sunset tonight: 5:01 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow: 7:18 a.m.
Sunset tomorrow: 5:02 p.m.

Regional Chairman Rejects Countywide Library Report

One Will Be Queen Of Hearts



One of these seven beauties, who are employed by Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Co., will be named Valentine Queen of the 3M Club. The girls, who were honored at a luncheon yesterday at the Bristol Motor Inn and interview by a panel of judges, are (from left) Barbara Dorusak, Pat Gartner, Margaret Sylvester, Lorna Brown, Nancy Ess, Bonnie Woodward and Caryn Colantini. The winner will be announced at 3M's annual Valentine dance Feb. 16, at Goodwill Hose Co. No. 3, Swain and Mifflin Sts., Bristol. (Courier-Times Photo)

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New Plan Asked For Bucks System

Bernard Glaser, chairman of the Regional Public Library Board of Trustees, turned thumbs down on a countywide library system report today at a meeting of the Bucks County Commissioners.

A study and recommendation had been submitted by Emerson Greenaway. Glaser told the board that a county system of libraries is certainly favorable but said that Greenaway's report was not a good one.

Major Objections

The two major objections of the local library were that the report has a tremendous concentration of power of administrative offices in Doylestown and it reduces the role of the municipalities.

"We believe in a county system but it's incumbent on the commission to get the best plan available," Glaser said. He recommended that Ralph Blasingame Jr., state librarian, be invited to a discussion with the commissioners and the county library board to outline his views on the report.

Glaser added that Blasingame did not approve of the report.

"We feel that the best and most desirable county-wide library system should be thoroughly investigated by all concerned before any action is taken," the library chairman noted.

The commissioners were seemingly in agreement with Glaser.

"It's the taxpayers money we will be using and we certainly want to explore all avenues and come out with the best library system for Bucks County," Edward B. Boyer, commission chairman, said.

As a starting note, Glaser pointed out that the Regional Public Library was the most active library in Bucks County with the largest number of books and he asked the commissioners why library funds were not appropriated in the lower part of the county.

The commissioners appropriated \$3,000 to the Bucks County Association for Senior Citizens and approved a request for another stenographer in the juvenile court.

Blind Assn.

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said, "is that although we get a lot of applications for assistance, we never like to turn anyone away. As a result we have actually made work for a lot of people here, and we kept them on for longer than we could afford to. That's helped put us in the hole."

"Over the last year, we have been supplying services and been providing employment on a basis that was not consistent with our income," Fye said.

May Cut Further

Of the 12 workers laid off so far, five are totally blind full-time workers, and three are blind part-time workers.

The association has to employ some sighted people, but many of these are disabled in some other way.

So far, the Doylestown branch, which employs six blind workers, has not been affected, but unless the financial position improves, the association might be forced to cut down on expenses still further, Ryan said.

Expenses are heavy — the pay roll is \$1,200 a week — and it is difficult to make economies without cutting down the labor force.

The association is considering three steps to get out of the red, Ryan said.

Piecework Basis

One is to pay its workers on a piecework basis instead of hourly. Another is to call in an adviser from outside Bucks County to examine the situation.

The third is to appeal to all service clubs in the area for money — on an annual basis, not just as a temporary measure.

The association already gets \$60,000 a year in donations, but as much as 38 per cent of this goes on administrative expenses involved in collecting it, Fye said.

And this figure in any case represents only one-fifth of the association's annual expenses, he said.

Sales Or Contributions

"We get no state or federal aid, and are entirely dependent on what we sell, or on contributions," Fye said.

Already some of Bucks County's citizens are waking to the need for prompt assistance for the association. Lions Clubs in the area have adopted the association as its main charity, and raise much of the money donated each year.

Early this week, the Levittown Lions hearing of the emergency made an emergency donation of \$500 to the association. It would also help if local people started buying brooms.

State Fires

33 Democrats

The political axe swooped down across the heads of 33 officials and semi-officials in Harrisburg yesterday and claimed among its victims a deputy department secretary, a bureau chief and secretaries of two major agencies.

The dismissals were announced by Ray M. Bollinger, assistant secretary to the governor.

Remaining on the state payroll after the mass firing were 20 Democratic county chairmen. Four are members of boards and cannot be dismissed until their successors are qualified and confirmed by the State Senate.

This, however, could involve a lengthy process which might extend over a period of many months.

Among the four in this category is Bucks County Democratic chairman John T. Welsh.

Four other Democratic chairmen work for the Democratic-controlled Auditor General's Department, two have questionable status because of interim board appointments and 10 others appeared vulnerable to further political dismissals.

Falls Twp. AID Planning Dance

The Falls Township Association for Informed Democrats today announced plans for a pre-lenten dance to be held Saturday, Feb. 16 at the Fairless Hills Fire Company hall on Hood Blvd.

The association has secured Larry Lane and his band for dancing from 9 p.m. until 1 a.m. Refreshments will also be served.

William Hill, chairman of "AID" said Mrs. Dorothy Yohe of Fairless Hills has been named chairman of the dance committee, assisted by the following persons: Ray Druckenmiller, Mary Lou Green, Edward Howley, Fran Jones, Alberta Nau, Art Price, Kitty Afferbach, Paul Terrell, William Hill, Pauline Spano, Salome Honeycutt, and Ann O'Brien.

Also sentenced to 10 days in prison and fined \$100 was Wallace Wagner of Bethlehem, for driving while under suspension.

Fined for driving while under suspension were Joseph Boyle, 28

3 Youths Admit Wild Choking Tots Beer Party, Damage Recovering

Three Lower Bucks youths who held a beer party for juveniles in Levittown last September pleaded guilty to charges of corrupting the morals of minors yesterday in Bucks County Court.

The host, Robert Maxwell, 20, of 30 Orangewood Drive, admitted to punching holes in the wall of his home, ripping a medicine chest and telephones from the walls of the house.

He was placed on one year's probation by Judge John P. Fullam and ordered to undergo psychiatric treatment.

A second youth, Thomas Rigdon, 1114 Beaver St., Bristol, 20 at the time, pleaded guilty to an additional charge of furnishing liquor to a minor. He was fined \$50.

Edward Derstine, 19, of 16 Goldenridge Drive, was given a suspended sentence.

Maxwell hosted several juveniles ranging in age from 15 to 17. His parents were not at home at the time.

2 Plead Not Guilty

Two other young men, John J. Bowden of 21 Whitewood Drive and William Henrich, 106 Goldenridge Drive, both Levittown, pleaded not guilty. However, they were indicted by a Bucks County Grand Jury, and will stand trial.

Other Guilty Pleas

In other guilty pleas yesterday: Harry L. Muller of Mount Eyre Road, Newtown, and John Furdak of West Bristol Road, Ivyland, were both sentenced from 10 days to 23 months in Bucks prison and fined \$100 for racing their autos.

Also sentenced to 10 days in prison and fined \$100 was Wallace Wagner of Bethlehem, for driving while under suspension.

Fined for driving while under suspension were Joseph Boyle, 28

Grass Pond Lane, Greenbrook, Levittown, \$150; Michael J. McIntyre, 108 Monroe St., Bristol, \$250; Theodore Newell, 1302 Bristol Road, Cornwells Heights, \$100, and Robert Pierson, 1705 Spencer Drive, Croydon, \$100. Boyle was also fined \$200 for drunken driving.

Fined for drunken driving were Charles Sostak, Trenton, N.J., \$200; Joseph Smith, 136 Charles Road, Southampton, \$100, and Jake Woods, 432 Oak, Terrace 2, Bristol, \$210, Hugh Rowlands, Philadelphia, \$200, Ray Townsend, 1982 Street Road, Cornwells Heights, and Donald G. Wetzel, 129 Winchester Ave., Langhorne.

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mates were within two-tenths of 1 per cent.

The governor said the final Lawrence figures were accurate, but a revised revenue forecast will find collections falling \$18 million below original estimates at the close of the present fiscal year. The other major factor in building the deficit is the need for an additional \$24 million to meet mandated expenses, he said.

Part of this will be offset by lapses of \$10 million in unspent appropriations to reduce the overall deficit to \$32 million.

3rd Burglary Suspect Nabbed

Trenton police today arrested a third suspect in a Morrisville burglary attempt and were still searching for a fourth man.

Trenton's Detective Bureau said Charles Meekins of Lambert St., Trenton, was picked up and has been lodged in Mercer County jail awaiting disposition. Still being sought by police is Carl Watson, 20, of Tyrell Ave., Trenton.

Morrisville patrolman Harry Tomlinson stumbled on the four Negro men early Tuesday morning while they were trying to burglarize Cunningham's Hardware Store at 522 N. Pennsylvania Ave., Morrisville.

Already in jail are Charles Christie, 21, of Southard St., Trenton and William McMillen, 22, of Fountain Ave., Trenton.

Accused Rapist Hearing Tonight

William R. Fenton, of Bristol, accused of the Tuesday rape of a young Levittown mother, will have a hearing before Justice of the Peace Joseph Haines, of Edgely, tonight at 7 o'clock.

Fenton, a boarder in an apartment at 1152 Beaver St., admitted the crime Wednesday to Bristol Township detectives.

He is also accused of robbing the woman of \$28 in her Stonybrook section home.

He is being held without bail on charges of rape, robbery, burglary, sodomy, aggravated assault and battery and assault with intent to ravish.

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Called Rescue Squad

One of the Quinn children, Patricia, 10, picked up her baby sister and ran outside where her mother was taking clothes off the line. Mrs. Quinn immediately called the Levittown-Fairless Hills Rescue Squad and began mouth-to-mouth resuscitation on her baby.

Within moments, Mrs. Quinn, said the rescue squad arrived and they administered oxygen. The squad took the tot to the hospital where today her condition is described as "satisfactory." Noting a "big lump" and bruise on the baby's forehead, authorities said she apparently had fallen.

At 2:30 a.m. today, the Levittown-Fairless Hills Rescue Squad rushed Kathy Horrocks, six-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Horrocks of 30 Kentucky Lane, Kenwood, to Lower Bucks County Hospital after the mother said she was awakened by the baby's choking.

Examination disclosed the infant was suffering from bronchitis. Her condition is "satisfactory."

Tractor-Trailer Slides Into Ditch

A skidding tractor-trailer jackknifed early this morning on Stonyhill Road, near Route 1, Falls Township, and slid into a ditch. The driver, John K. Hinkle, 24, R.D. 1, Pennsburg, Pa. was unhurt, police reported.

In order to extricate the vehicle, the trailer had to be disconnected and towed to the side of the road. The truck was then removed from the ditch and towed to the side to be re-connected.

The accident occurred at 7:15 o'clock on Olds Blvd. and Austin Drive, Fairless Hills and involved cars driven by Robert E. Owles, 179 Greenbrook Drive, Levittown, and John DeCarlo, Jr., 35, of Bordentown, N.J.

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Band Boosters Plan Banquet



A three-woman planning committee of the Morrisville Band Boosters Association recently sat down to chart plans for the annual band banquet to be held on Wednesday, Jan. 30, in the Morris-

ville High School cafeteria. They are (from left) Mrs. Evelyn Moore, Mrs. George Hunger, and Mrs. Robert Patterson. (Courier-Times Photo)

1st Baptists Elect Staff In Morrisville

The First Baptist Church of Morrisville, recently held its annual business meeting and election of officers, according to Rev. Alvin F. Gage, pastor.

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Those voted into the various offices were as follows: For a three-year term as deacons, Robert Cassaday and Walter Falen; for a three-year term as trustees, Warren Albom, Sr. and Robert Wright.

Other officers elected for a term of one year are: Church clerk, Mrs. Naomi Davis; church treasurer, Louis Hess; financial secretary, Edgar Solt; organist, Mrs. Eileen Keefe; pianist, Mrs. Evelyn Hess; assistant pianist, Mrs. May Westover; choir director, Mrs. Evelyn Hess; head usher, Melvin Wolgamott; Sunday School superintendent, Robert Cassaday; and assistant Sunday School su-

perintendent, Clair Westover. All missionary interests were increased \$5 a month. The missionary budget was depleted, dividing the money between nine different missionaries and organizations. The church also voted to continue with its Christmas Day Service and its own Thanksgiving Day Service.

On Sunday, there will be an installation service for the new officers of the church in the 11 a.m. service. The public is invited to attend, Rev. Gage said. The message of the morning will be entitled "How Do You Pray?" The church is located at 32 Wood St.

Penndel Woman Injured In Fall

A Penndel woman was admitted to Lower Bucks County Hospital this morning with a possible concussion after she fell on the ice in back of the Howard Johnson Restaurant on the turnpike. Mrs. Gertrude O'Connor, 41, of 322 Highland Ave., an employee at the restaurant, was reported in satisfactory condition at the hospital. The accident occurred about 8 a.m.

Presbyterians Pick Officers In Morrisville

Results of the election conducted at the congregational meeting of the First Presbyterian Church, Morrisville, has been announced. The meeting was held Wednesday night.

Serving as newly-elected elders in the church will be Clarence N. Alderfer, Horace T. Allen, Leon E. Andrews, Harry H. Bunting, Mrs. John W. Burgess, Mrs. T. B. Fowler, George C. Geary, John N. Reynolds, Edmund L. Robinson, William L. Schofield Jr., Clifford J. Voelker, Robert R. Voorhees, and Margaret Watkins. Elder membership was increased from 27 to 30.

New Trustees
Elected as trustees were Robert B. Anderson, John W. Burgess, Robert C. Crowell, Paul Delany, Charles R. Gardner and A. O. Redland. Chosen as a life trustee was Daniel Bustraan. The trustee board now consists of 15 members in addition to three life-time members.

Those who will serve as deacons are Harold L. Bush Jr., William C. Chasey Sr., John V. Ellis Sr., Dr. Frank Entwisle, Richard L. Frick, Eugene B. Fulkerson, Corey C. Garey Jr., Franklin P. Hohmann, Dr. K. Richard Knoblauch, Donald F. Leypoldt, Everett M. Parker, Charles Pool and Donald D. Seitzinger Jr. The board of deacons now consists of 39 members.

Members of the nominating committee, elected by the congregation, include Ralph R. Barr, Mrs. John A. English, Mrs. John F. Garber, Dr. H. Lee Kustaborder, Dorothy Gish, I. Clyde Lawson, Lyman G. Schermerhorn, George Waltersdorff and D. Alan White. Fourteen members are now on this committee.

Pennsbury Lists Awards Group

Joseph W. Rohrbach, principal of Pennsbury High School, recently announced the appointment of the awards committee.

The duties of the committee include the planning of the annual awards assembly, and reviewing past and present policy for modification and adjustment.

The members of the 1962-63 group include John Carson, chairman; Mrs. Pearl Aronson, Erle Baugher, Mrs. Elizabeth Carfagno, Mrs. Martha Foreman, Ralph Herlihy, Mrs. Caroline Keller, Mrs. Sheila Leiden, Al Matuza, and Ron Seacrist.

Pennsbury PTA Slates Meeting

The Pennsbury Junior and Senior High School PTA will hold its second meeting of the season in the William Penn Junior High School, Fairless Hills, on Wednesday, at 8 p.m.

Something new has been added to stimulate interest and attendance to Secondary PTA. Instead of the regular formal meeting, there will be a "group discussion." The subject will be "Discipline." The many facets of this subject will be aired and there will be a short business meeting following group discussion. The coordinator for the evening will be Mrs. Calvin Traver, vice president, Charles Boehm building.

London Birds Are Urbanized

LONDON (UPI) — Birds in Holland Park are becoming increasingly urbanized, a Natural History Society report said today. It said blackbirds use drinking straws to build nests, sparrows take sugar from the park cafeteria and robins eat bread crumbs from the hand.

Morrisville Yardley Makefield

Vital Port Study OK'd In Morrisville

By BEN McELVEEN
Courier-Times Staff Writer

The long-rumored development of port facilities along the Delaware River in the Lower Bucks area yesterday received a shot in the arm when the Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission authorized a definitive study.

A \$16,000 study will be undertaken by a top-rate international known port consultant to determine "the feasibility of some action" by the commission in regard to port development.

A motion was passed by the commissioners meeting in the administration building in Morrisville naming Walter P. Hedden of New York to conduct what was termed as an "action study."

Hedden, who retired in 1953 after 31 years as director of port development of the Port of New York Authority, has served as a transportation and port consultant for various government agencies and projects since then.

Judge Morris Gerber of Pennsylvania, also strongly recommended Hedden for the job. Besides Swope and Gerber, the projects committee consists of David J. Goldberg and Herman A. Shotwell, both of New Jersey.

Vital Move
Gerber declared that the development of a port authority in the Trenton - Morrisville area "will bring in needed industry as well as jobs, and the commission is undertaking a vital move for this area, including both sides of the river, by setting up the study."

"I think this is really a great moment in commission history," added Gerber.

The commissioners authorized William R. Johnson, acting executive director, to enter in an agreement giving Hedden the contract to do the study.

Guy J. Swope, a Pennsylvania member and chairman of the projects committee, outlined the stu-

dy. He said the study had the full support and backing of the projects committee which has conducted an extensive study of its own before making the recommendation.

To Check Other Studies
Swope said the new study would incorporate all other previous studies.

Members of the projects committee had interviews with Hedden in New York, and received a preliminary outline of what he would undertake in his official study.

L. Makefield Board Plans Appointments

Five appointments to various committees are expected to be made at a meeting of the Lower Makefield Township Board of Supervisors on Monday in the municipal building.

William H. Struwe, township manager, today issued the agenda for the meeting. The appointments are for the board of adjustment, planning commission, industrial development committee, and two to the Building Authority.

Other items listed include establishment of compensation for supervisors, as well as determining the salary for the superintendent of highways.

Requests Made
Several requests for sub-division approval will also be heard.

A request by Hankin and Robinson for approval of bond for Valleywood Section 1 will be heard, as well as an escrow agreement for streets and drainage for Valleywood Section 2. Final plans for Valleywood Section 2 are also listed.

Action on the Coutant tract will also be discussed, after a request for preliminary approval was made.

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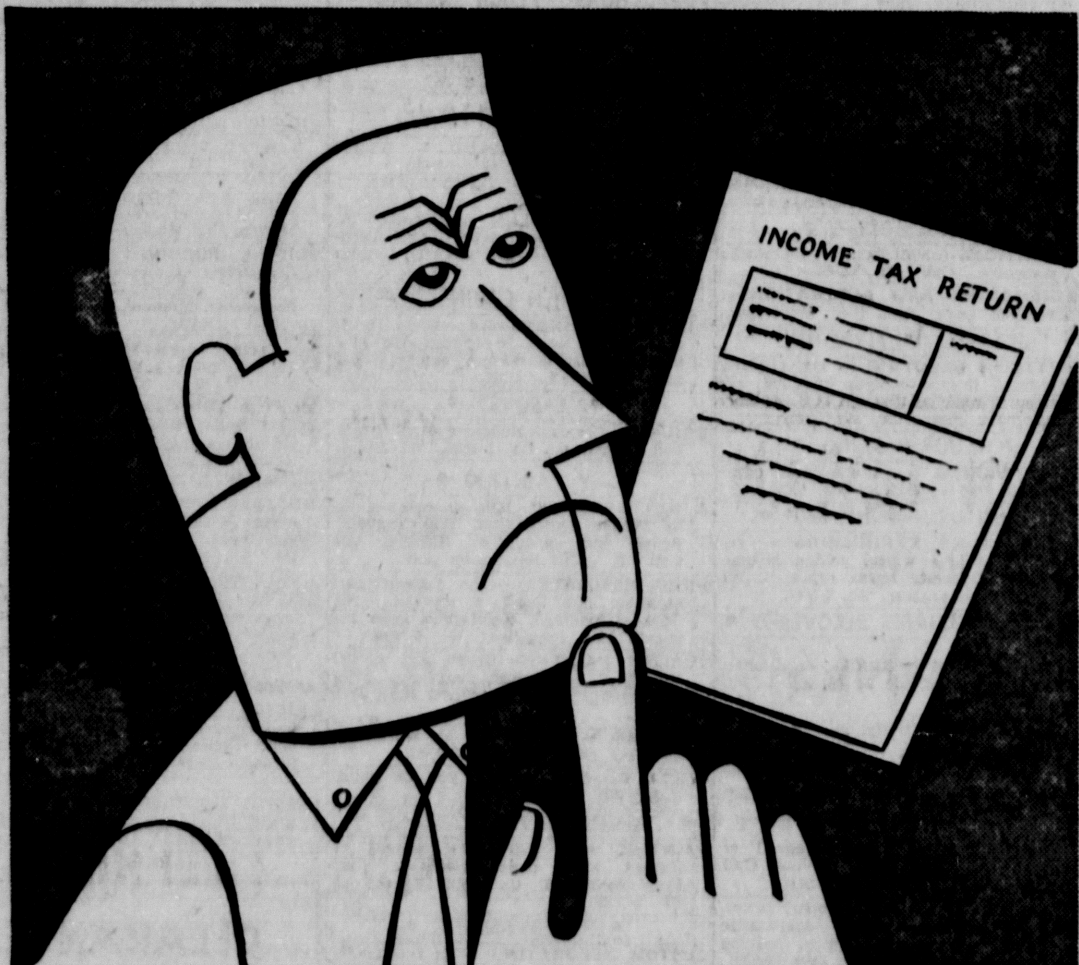
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